

GREEK COUNTESS SPURNED AS WIFE FIGHTS IN COURT

Remarkable Test Submitted
To in the Contest of
Annulment.

WON BY "TALL PINE."

"White Flower" Was Name
Bestowed by Woer in
Old Mexico.

The trial of the suit of George A. Schreter, a mining engineer, of No. 101 Halsey road, Flatbush, for an annulment of his marriage to Sofia Papaspiridi, pretty little daughter of Greece, before Justice Gieseler, in the Supreme Court, to-day became a minute investigation and description of the physiological development of the little Greek girl by medical men. The ground upon which an annulment is asked is that the wife is physically undeveloped. Sofia Papaspiridi is a daughter of a friend of the Greek Ambassador, the highest Hellenic court, and granddaughter of the famous General, Kookoloni, "the Giant of Greece." She was a maid of honor to the Crown-Princess Sofia, and has been presented to King Edward and the "White Star."

She was wooed by and wed the French Count de Rilly. They lived together six years, and then she divorced him in Chicago. Travelling in Mexico, the Greek bride and the "Tall Pine" of Flatbush, who was there in pursuit of his profession, met. It was love at first sight, and on their return to New York they were married, July 1 last, and went to the Hotel Seville for their honeymoon.

Six weeks later, Lawyer James W. Osborne obtained an order to serve a summons upon Schreter, then in Los Angeles, Cal., by publication, in a suit brought by Sofia P. Schreter for a separation, and it came out that he had suddenly left her, two weeks before.

In the contention over alimony Schreter testified that his wife was not entitled to alimony pending the trial, as he had put \$10,000 in her hands on their wedding day with which to purchase furniture for their prospective home, and she still had most of that money left.

Counter Claim of Schreter. Incidentally, Col. Alexander S. Bacon, next door neighbor and brother-in-law of Schreter, filed a counter suit for an annulment, alleging that Schreter had been unbecomingly, that the Countess was as undeveloped as a child.

These allegations were under investigation before Justice Gieseler to-day, a score of physicians for the plaintiff, the little, dark-haired woman to a most remarkable physical condition in examinations to which she had submitted. Doctors Brooks H. Wall, Henry Clark Cox, J. Riddle Goffe, Henry J. Loomis and Elizabeth Johnson Van Slyk, were among the specialists interested in the case.

George A. Schreter testified in his own behalf. He is a graduate of the Columbia University School of Mines, thirty-four years of age, 6 feet 3 inches in stature and weighs 215 pounds.

The Countess Sofia, who was called "Poula," a Greek word meaning "white flower," by Schreter when he met her, is thirty years old and slight of form.

Under cross-examination by Mr. Osborne Schreter admitted that when he first met the "white flower" of the Greek court at the Hotel Plancia, in the old City of Mexico, she was still the wife of Count de Rilly.

"She was very pretty," Schreter admitted, and he also admitted that he paid the expenses of visiting a divorce court in Count, in order that he might marry her.

SKYSCRAPER VIOLATES LAW, SAV INSPECTORS

Changes May Be Necessary
In 41-Story Singer
Building.

Building inspectors have served a violation on the Singer Building, which is to be forty-one stories, the highest in the world, and is being constructed at Broadway and Liberty street. It is on account of hollow tile blocks not being laid in accordance with the law, and a number of arches failing to comply with the requirements have been ordered removed and replaced by proper arches.

It is said the engineers recommended a concrete flooring for the Singer Building, but it was decided to use the hollow tile blocks, which have been in general use all over. The building law requires that the blocks be laid with keys in the central portion. Five tiers have been already laid in the Singer Building, and in some of these, it is alleged, the keys have been omitted and in some were not located in the center, an alleged violation of law.

STANDARD OIL DIVIDEND.
Nine Dollars a Share Will Be Paid for the Quarter.

The Standard Oil Company, at a meeting to-day, declared a quarterly dividend of \$9 a share. This was the same as that declared for the similar periods last year and in 1905. In 1904, it was \$8; in 1903, \$7; in 1902, \$10; in 1901, \$12; in 1900, \$10.

For the first two quarters of other years the combined dividends were \$24 in 1906 and 1905 and 1904; \$27 in 1903, \$20 in 1902, \$22 in 1901 and \$30 in 1900. Dividends declared and paid on common stock of this year was \$30.

SPUN TO DEATH; CAUGHT IN GRIP OF A FLYWHEEL

It cost a seventeen-year-old machine's assistant his life to-day to stoop to pick up a bolt which had fallen to the floor in the Simplex Automobile Company's factory. No. 313 East Eighty-third street. The unfortunate youth was Edward Benson, who lived with his parents at No. 155 Avenue A.

Young Benson was at work near a revolving electrical machine which is used for cutting bolts. In bending to the floor, his flannel shirt caught near the right shoulder in the fly wheel and carried the lad along. He shrieked twice, and then kept winding around, helpless, until fellow-workmen stopped the machine.

When Dr. Watkins, of the Presbyterian Hospital, arrived, he said that death was probably instantaneous and strangulation the cause. Benson was twisted in the air fully fifty times before the power was turned off. His windpipe was crushed and neck bones distorted.



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